

# CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey:

H.R. 7.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1 Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution

By Mrs. RODGERS of Washington:

H.R. 21.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mrs. RODGERS of Washington:

H.R. 22.

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Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. SMITH of Nebraska:

H.R. 23.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 9. "No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law."

By Mr. MASSIE:

H.R. 24.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is authorized by Article 1, Section 8 of the Constitution, which gives Congress the power "to coin money, regulate the value thereof, and of foreign coin, and fix the standard of weights and measures," and "to provide for the punishment of counterfeiting the securities and current coin of the United States."

By Mr. CARTER of Georgia:

H.R. 25.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 1, Section 8 of Article 1: "The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States."

By Mrs. WAGNER:

H.R. 26.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

(1) Section 5 of the 14th Amendment, including the power to enforce the prohibition on government action denying equal protection of the laws; and

(2) Section 9 of Article I, to make all laws necessary and proper for carrying into execution the powers vested by the Constitution of the United States, including the power to regulate commerce under Clause 3 of such action.

By Ms. MALLIOTAKIS:

H.R. 27.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1:

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By Mr. STEUBE:

H.R. 28.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. ROY:

H.R. 29.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution—to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or any Department or Officer thereof.

By Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H.R. 30.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Amendment 4, Amendment 13, and Amendment 14, Section 5 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. DOGGETT:

H.R. 31.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

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H.R. 32.

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Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

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H.R. 33.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. DOGGETT:

H.R. 34.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. DOGGETT:

H.R. 35.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. ARRINGTON:

H.R. 36.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1 Section 8 of the US constitution

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H.R. 37.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1 Section 8 of the constitution

By Mr. HUDSON:

H.R. 38.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 2, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. GREEN of Texas:

H.R. 39.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

By Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H.R. 40.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution, Amendment 13 Section 2., and Amendment 14 Section 5.

By Mr. BAIRD:

H.R. 41.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution, authorized by Congress' power to "provide for the common Defense and general Welfare of the United States."

By Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H.R. 42.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article 1, Section 2 & Section 4, and Amendment 14, Section 2 & Section 5 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. BERGMAN:

H.R. 43.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18

By Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H.R. 44.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1, Clause 18, Amendment 5, Amendment 6 and Amendment 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. LAHOOD:

H.R. 45.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

United States Constitution Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1: "The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes . . ."

By Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H.R. 46.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clauses 1, 3 and 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. BERGMAN:

H.R. 47.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18

By Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H.R. 48.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clauses 1, 3, and 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. BERGMAN:

H.R. 49.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 1, Clause 1 of the U.S. Constitution, in that the legislation concerns the exercise of legislative powers generally granted to Congress, including the exercise of those powers when delegated by Congress to the Executive.

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the U.S. Constitution in that the legislation exercises legislative power granted to Congress by that clause "to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Office thereof;" and

Article III, Section 1, Clause 1, Sentence 1, and Section 2, Clause 1, of the Constitution in that the legislation defines or affects judicial powers and cases that are subject to legislation by Congress.

By Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H.R. 50.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18, and Amendment 4 and Amendment 8 to the United States

Constitution

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 51.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

clause 1 of section 3 of article IV and clause 17 of section 8 of article 1 of the Constitution.